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HUAWEI C8800
Quick Start Guide

Personal Information and Data Security

The use of some functions or third-party applications on your device could result in your personal information and data being lost or becoming accessible to others. Several measures are recommended to help you protect personal and confidential information.

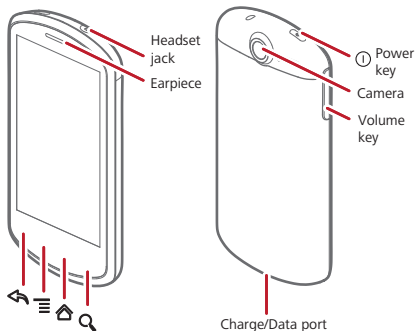
- Place your device in a safe area to prevent it from unauthorized use.
- Set your device screen to lock and create a password or unlock pattern to open it.
- Periodically back up personal information kept on your SIM/UM card, memory card, or stored in your device memory. If you change to a different device, be sure to move or delete any personal information on your old device.
- If you are worried about viruses when you receive messages or emails from a stranger, you can delete them without opening them.
- If you use your device to browse the Internet, avoid websites that might pose a security risk to avoid theft of your personal information.
- If you use services such as Wi-Fi tether or Bluetooth, set passwords for these services to prevent unauthorized access. When these services are not in use, turn them off.
- Install or upgrade device security software and regularly scan for viruses.
- Be sure to obtain third-party applications from a legitimate source. Downloaded third-party applications should be scanned for viruses.
- Install security software or patches released by Huawei or third-party application providers.
- Some applications require and transmit location information. As a result, a third-party may be able to share your location information.
- Your device may provide detection and diagnostic information to third-party application providers. Third party vendors use this information to improve their products and services.
- If you have concerns about the security of your personal information and data, please contact mobile@huawei.com.

What is in Your Box

- Mobile phone
- Charger
- USB cable
- Headset
- Quick Start Guide
- Battery

Getting Started

Phone at a Glance



Key Functions at Your Fingertips

- Press and hold to power on your mobile phone.
 - ① • Press and hold to open the **Phone options** menu.
 - Press to lock the screen when your mobile phone is active.
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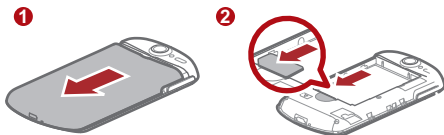
- Touch to return to the previous screen.
 - ↶ • Touch to exit any application you are running.
 - Touch to hide the keyboard.
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- ☰ Touch to open the menu on an active screen.
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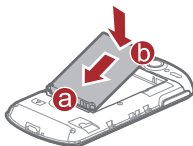
- Touch to return to the Home screen.
 - 🏠 • Touch and hold to show the most recently used applications.
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- 🔍 • Touch to search your mobile or the web using Google.
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Installing the UIM Card

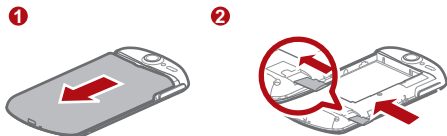


Installing the Battery

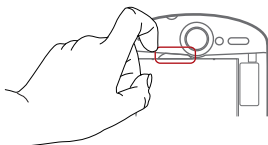


(Optional) Installing the microSD Card

Your mobile phone is already equipped with a large-volume built-in embedded MultiMediaCard (eMMC). If you want to expand your phone memory, you can also insert a microSD card

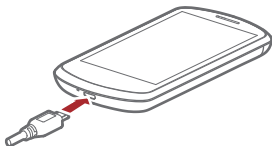


Removing the Battery



⚠ Do not use a sharply pointed object to remove the battery as this could puncture the battery and allow the release of toxic battery fluid.

Charging the Battery



If you charge your mobile phone while it is powered on, the battery icon on the notification bar indicates the charging status. When the battery icon changes to , your mobile phone is fully charged.

Status Indicator



Green: Fully charged (when connected to charger).

Orange: Charging in progress (when connected to charger).

Red: Battery low.



Powering On Your Mobile Phone

Press . The first time you power on your phone, you will be asked to sign in to your account and set up your mobile phone.

Powering Off Your Mobile Phone

1. Press and hold  to open the **Phone options** menu.
2. Touch **Power off**.
3. Touch **OK**.

Opening the Notification Panel

1. When a new notification icon appears on the notification bar, place your finger on the notification bar and flick down to open the notification panel.



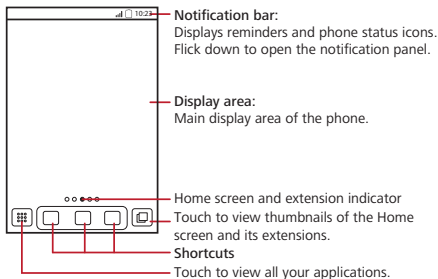
You can also open the notification panel from the Home screen: Touch  > **Notifications** to open the panel.

2. On the panel, you can:
 - Touch a notification to open the related application.
 - Touch **Clear** to clear all notifications.

Service Shortcuts

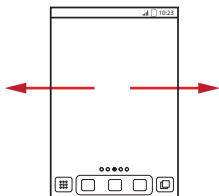
1. Open the notification bar.
 2. Touch  at the top of the screen to switch data services on or off.
-  You can also touch  ,  ,  or  turn the corresponding services on or off.

Home Screen

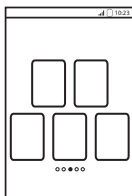


-  Touch and hold a shortcut until the mobile phone vibrates, you can then drag it to your desired location or move it to the trash. You can also drag an icon from another area of the screen to the shortcut position.

Viewing Other Parts of the Home Screen



Flick your finger left or right across the Home screen.



Touch  to view thumbnails of the Home screen and its extensions. Touch a thumbnail to open the screen.

Adding a New Home Screen Item

1. Touch and hold a blank area on the Home screen until the **Select action** menu is displayed.



You can also touch  > **Add** on the Home screen to display the **Select action** menu.

2. Select an item to add it to the Home screen.

Editing a Screen Item

1. Touch and hold an item on the Home screen until the **Select action** menu is displayed.
2. Touch **Edit icon**, and then do any of the following:
 - Customize the title of the screen item.
 - Select a new icon for the screen item.
3. Touch **Save**.

Changing the Wallpaper

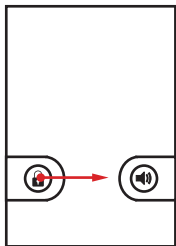
1. On the Home screen, touch  > **Wallpaper**.
2. Touch the following menu items to select a picture and set it as the wallpaper:
 - **Gallery**
 - **Live wallpapers**
 - **Wallpapers**

Locking the Screen

- When your phone is on, press  to lock the screen. When the screen is locked, you can still receive messages and calls.
- If your phone is idle for a while, the screen will lock automatically.

Unlocking the Screen

1. Press  to wake up the screen.
2. Drag the lock icon from left to right to unlock the screen.



Importing Contacts from a UIM Card

1. In the contact list, touch  > **Manage contacts**.
2. Touch **Copy from UIM card**.
3. Wait for the UIM card contents to be loaded. Select the contacts you want to import or touch **Select all** to select all contacts.
4. Touch **Copy**.
5. If you have more than one account on your phone, touch the account into which you want to import the contacts.

Making a Call

To make a call, you can use the **Dialer** application, or select a number from **Contacts** or **Call log**.

When you are in a call, you can touch  to use other functions. To return to the call screen, flick the notification bar down and touch **Current call**.

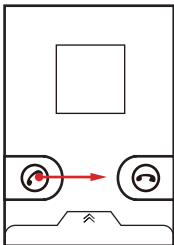
- ⓘ Be careful not to block the microphone at the bottom of your phone if you want your voice heard by the other parties in a call.

Making a Call with the Dialer Application

1. On the Home screen, touch  > **Dialer** to display the dialer.
 2. Touch the appropriate number keys to enter the phone number.
- 👉 Your mobile phone supports the SmartDial function, that is, when you touch numbers on the dialer, the phone automatically searches among your contacts and lists the matching results ordered according to the accuracy of the match. If no contacts match the information entered, the phone will not display any result.
3. Touch  to initiate the call.

Answering an Incoming Call

Drag  to the right to answer the call.



Choosing an Input Method

1. Touch and hold a text field until the **Edit text** menu is displayed.
2. Touch **Input method**.
3. Select the input method.

The keyboard panel will be displayed automatically.

Creating and Sending a Multimedia Message

1. Touch  > **Messaging** > **New message**.
2. Enter a phone number in the **To** field, or touch  to select a contact from **Contacts** or **Groups**.
3. Touch the composition text box to start entering your message.
4. Touch  to display the options panel.
 - Touch **Add subject** to add the message subject. Your mobile phone is now in multimedia message mode.
 - Touch **Attach** to add a picture, music, or video file.

5. When the message is ready to be sent, touch **Send**.



You can select a media file (music, video or picture) and send it as an attachment in a multimedia message. In **File Manager**, touch and hold a media file, and then touch **Share > Messaging**.

Getting Connected

Turning on the Data Service

1. Touch  > **Settings**.
2. Touch **Wireless & networks > Mobile networks**.
3. Select the **Data enabled** check box to turn on the data connection.

Turning On Wi-Fi

1. Touch  > **Settings**.
2. Touch **Wireless & networks**, and then select the **Wi-Fi** check box to turn on Wi-Fi.

Sharing Your Phone's Data Connection via USB

To use USB tethering in different operating systems, you may need to prepare your computer to establish a network connection via USB.



You cannot share your mobile phone's data connection and access its microSD card via USB at the same time.

1. Touch  > **Settings**.
2. Touch **Wireless & networks > Tethering & portable hotspot**.
3. Select the **USB tethering** check box to share your data connection.

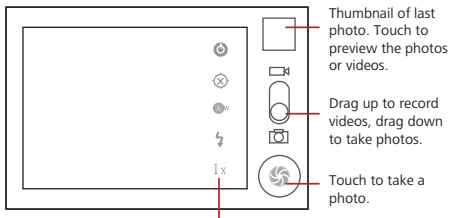
Sharing Your Phone's Data Connection as a Portable Wi-Fi Hotspot

1. Touch  > **Settings**.
2. Touch **Wireless & networks > Tethering & portable hotspot**.
3. Select the **Portable Wi-Fi hotspot** check box to share your data connection.

Opening Your Camera

- Touch  > **Camera** to open the camera. The camera opens in landscape mode, ready to take a picture or record a video.
- Touch  to close the camera.

Capture Screen



Touch to customize the camera settings.

Using the microSD Card as a USB Mass Storage

1. Connect your mobile phone to your PC with the USB cable provided. Your PC will detect the microSD card as a removable storage device.
2. Open the notification bar, and then touch **USB connected**.
3. Touch **Turn on USB storage** in the dialog box that opens to confirm that you want to transfer files.

You can now transfer files from your PC to your mobile phone's microSD card.

FAQs

How Can I Use a microSD Card to Import Contacts to My Phone from a Different Mobile Phone?

Your mobile phone only supports contact files in the **.vcf** format.

1. Save the contacts you want to import to your mobile phone to a microSD card as a **.vcf** file.
2. Insert the microSD card into your mobile phone and find the **.vcf** file using **File Manager**.
3. Touch the **.vcf** file. The phone displays a message asking whether you want to import the contacts.
4. Touch **OK** to import the contacts.

ⓘ Compatibility problems may occur with **.vcf** files created by different mobile phones and certain contact information may be lost after contacts are imported.

🔑 You can also use Bluetooth to share and import contacts.

How Can I Use Hi Suite to Import Contacts to My Phone from a Different Mobile Phone?

Your mobile phone only supports contact files in the **.vcf** format.

1. Save the **.vcf** file containing the contact information you want to import to a PC.
2. On the Home screen, touch  > **Settings** > **Applications** > **Development** > **USB debugging**.
3. Use a USB cable to connect your phone to the PC.
4. Visit <http://www.huaweidevice.com/worldwide/technicalIndex.do> to download and install Hi Suite.
5. Open Hi Suite and follow the instructions to complete the installation.
6. Hi Suite will start automatically after the installation is complete. Click **Contacts**. Right-click the contact list and choose **Import**. Follow the instructions and select the **.vcf** file you want to import.
7. Disconnect your mobile phone from the PC after the contacts have been imported.

How Do I Set a Song As a Phone Ringtone?

In **Huawei Music**, touch and hold the song to be set as a ringtone, and then touch **Set as ringtone**.

How Do I Prevent Automatic Change of Screen Orientation When Rotating My Phone?

On the Home screen, touch  > **Settings** > **Display** > **Auto-rotate screen** to disable the function.

How Do I Set an Unlock Pattern?

On the Home screen, touch  > **Settings** > **Location & security** > **Set up screen lock** > **Pattern**.

How Can I Change the Input Method?

Touch and hold the area where you write text and then select the input method you prefer.

How Do I Stop the Song Playing in the Background?

Touch the notification bar, flick downwards to open the notifications panel, touch the music playing notification to go to the music playing screen, and then stop playing the song.

How Do I Return to the Call Screen?

While in a call, if you're on another screen, you can touch the notification bar, and flick downwards to open the notifications panel. Then touch the current call notification to return to the call screen.

How Do I Create an Application Shortcut on the Home Screen?

Touch and hold an application icon on the application screen until the Home screen is displayed. Then drag the icon to where you want to place it and release your finger.

How Do I Hide the Keyboard?

Touch  to hide the keyboard.

How Do I Use Quick GPS?

On the Home screen, touch  > **Settings** > **Location & security** > **Use Quick GPS**.

 Quick GPS downloads data to enhance the GPS satellite information and may

therefore incur additional data charges.

Warnings and Precautions

This section contains important information pertaining to the operating instructions of your device. It also contains information about how to use the device safely. Read this information carefully before using your device.

Electronic Device

Power off your device if using the device is prohibited. Do not use the device when using the device causes danger or interference with electronic devices.

Medical Device

- Follow rules and regulations set forth by hospitals and health care facilities. Do not use your device when using the device is prohibited.
- Pacemaker manufacturers recommend that a minimum distance of 15 cm be maintained between a device and a pacemaker to prevent potential interference with the pacemaker. If you are using a pacemaker, use the device on the opposite side of the pacemaker and do not carry the device in your front pocket.

Potentially Explosive Atmosphere

Power off your device in any area with a potentially explosive atmosphere, and comply with all signs and instructions. Areas that may have potentially explosive atmospheres include the areas where you would normally be advised to turn off your vehicle engine. Triggering of sparks in such areas could cause an explosion or a fire, resulting in bodily injuries or even deaths. Do not power on your device at refueling points such as service stations. Comply with restrictions on the use of radio equipment in fuel depots, storage, and distribution areas, and chemical plants. In addition, adhere to restrictions in areas where blasting operations are in progress. Before using the device, watch out for areas that have potentially explosive atmospheres that are often, but not always, clearly marked. Such locations include areas below the deck on boats, chemical transfer or storage facilities, and areas where the air contains chemicals or particles such as grain, dust, or metal powders. Ask the manufacturers of vehicles using liquefied petroleum gas (such as propane or butane) whether this device can be safely used in their vicinity.

Traffic Security

Observe local laws and regulations while using the device. In addition, if using the device while driving a vehicle, comply with the following guidelines:

- Concentrate on driving. Your first responsibility is to drive safely.
- Do not talk on the device while driving. Use hands-free accessories.
- When you have to make or answer a call, park the vehicle at the road side before using your device.
- RF signals may affect electronic systems of motor vehicles. For more information, consult the vehicle manufacturer.
- In a motor vehicle, do not place the device over the air bag or in the air bag deployment area. Otherwise, the device may hurt you owing to the strong force when the air bag inflates.
- Do not use your device while flying in an aircraft. Power off your device before boarding an aircraft. Using wireless devices in an aircraft may cause danger to the operation of the aircraft and disrupt the wireless telephone network. It may also be considered illegal.

Operating Environment

- Do not use or charge the device in dusty, damp, and dirty places or places with magnetic fields. Otherwise, it may result in a malfunction of the circuit.
- On a stormy day with thunder, do not use your device when it is being charged, to prevent any danger caused by lightning.
- When you are on a call, do not touch the antenna. Touching the antenna affects the call quality and results in increase in power consumption. As a result, the talk time and the standby time are reduced.
- While using the device, observe the local laws and regulations, and respect others' privacy and legal rights.
- Keep the ambient temperature between -10°C and 45°C while the device is being charged. Keep the ambient temperature between -10°C to 55°C for using the device powered by a battery.

Prevention of Hearing Damage

Using a headset at high volume can damage your hearing. To reduce the risk of damage to hearing, lower the headset volume to a safe and comfortable level.

Safety of Children

Comply with all precautions with regard to children's safety. Letting the child play with your device or its accessories, which may include parts that can be detached from the device, may be dangerous, as it may present a choking hazard. Ensure that small children are kept away from the device and accessories.

Accessories

Choose only batteries, chargers, and accessories approved for use with this model by the device manufacturer. The use of any other type of battery, charger, or accessory may invalidate any warranty for the device, may be in violation of local rules or laws, and may be dangerous. Please contact your dealer for information about the availability of approved batteries, chargers, and accessories in your area.

Battery and Charger

- Unplug the charger from the electrical plug and the device when not in use.
- The battery can be charged and discharged hundreds of times before it eventually wears out. When the standby time and the talk time are shorter than the normal time, replace the battery.
- Use the AC power supply defined in the specifications of the charger. An improper power voltage may cause a fire or a malfunction of the charger.
- Do not connect two poles of the battery with conductors, such as metal materials, keys, or jewelries. Otherwise, the battery may be short-circuited and may cause injuries and burns on your body.
- If battery electrolyte leaks out, ensure that the electrolyte does not touch your skin and eyes. When the electrolyte touches your skin or splashes into your eyes, wash your eyes with clean water immediately and consult a doctor.
- If there is a case of battery deformation, color change, or abnormal heating while you charge or store the battery, remove the battery immediately and stop using it. Otherwise, it may lead to battery leakage, overheating, explosion, or fire.
- If the power cable is damaged (for example, the cord is exposed or broken), or the plug loosens, stop using the cable at once. Otherwise, it may lead to an electric shock, a short circuit of the charger, or a fire.
- Do not dispose of batteries in fire as they may explode. Batteries may also explode if damaged.

- Do not modify or remanufacture, attempt to insert foreign objects into the battery, immerse or expose to water or other liquids, expose to fire, explosion or other hazard.
- Avoid dropping the device or battery. If the device or battery is dropped, especially on a hard surface, and the user suspects damage, take it to a qualified service center for inspection.
- Improper battery use may result in a fire, explosion or other hazard.
- Promptly dispose of used batteries in accordance with local regulations.
- The device should only be connected to products that bear the USB-IF logo or have completed the USB-IF compliance program.

Cleaning and Maintenance

- The device, battery, and charger are not water-resistant. Keep them dry. Protect the device, battery, and charger from water or vapor. Do not touch the device or the charger with a wet hand. Otherwise, it may lead to a short circuit, a malfunction of the device, and an electric shock to the user.
- Do not place your device, battery, and charger in places where they can get damaged because of collision. Otherwise, it may lead to battery leakage, device malfunction, overheating, fire, or explosion.
- Do not place magnetic storage media such as magnetic cards and floppy disks near the device. Radiation from the device may erase the information stored on them.
- Do not leave your device, battery, and charger in a place with an extreme high or low temperature. Otherwise, they may not function properly and may lead to a fire or an explosion. When the temperature is lower than 0°C, performance of the battery is affected.
- Do not place sharp metal objects such as pins near the earpiece. The earpiece may attract these objects and hurt you when you are using the device.
- Before you clean or maintain the device, power off the device and disconnect it from the charger.
- Do not use any chemical detergent, powder, or other chemical agents (such as alcohol and benzene) to clean the device and the charger. Otherwise, parts of the device may be damaged or a fire can be caused. You can clean the device and the charger with a piece of damp and soft antistatic cloth.

- Do not dismantle the device or accessories. Otherwise, the warranty on the device and accessories is invalid and the manufacturer is not liable to pay for the damage.
- If the device screen is broken by colliding with hard objects, do not touch or try to remove the broken part. In this case, stop using the device immediately, and then contact an authorized service center in time.

Emergency Call

You can use your device for emergency calls in the service area. The connection, however, cannot be guaranteed in all conditions. You should not rely solely on the device for essential communications.

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